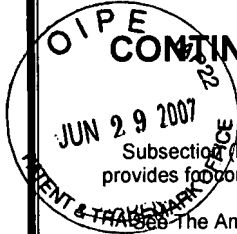


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<div>REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL</div> <div><p>Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995. Under The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).</p></div>	Application Number	10/722,008
	Filing Date	November 25, 2003
	First Named Inventor	TSAO ET AL.
	Group Art unit	1751
	Examiner Name	NECHOLUS OGDEN, JR
	Attorney Docket Number	LP/V-32800A

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

**NOTE:** 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 (d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See *Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice*, Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice.

1. **Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

a. ☐ Previously submitted

    i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
        (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).

    ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_

b. ☒ Enclosed

    i. ☒ Amendment/Reply

    ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

    iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

    iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

2. **Miscellaneous**

a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)

b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

3. **Fees**      The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-2965


    i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)      06/29/2007 HVUONG1 00000077 502965 10722008

    ii. ☐ Extension of time fee. (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)      01 FC:1801      790.00 DA

    iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

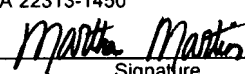
b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ enclosed

c. ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED			
Name (Print/Type)	Sheng-Hsin Hu	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	Reg. No. 50,328 Agent for Applicants
Signature		Date	06/26/07

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<u>Martha Martin</u> Type or print name	<u></u> Signature	<u>June 26, 2007</u> Date
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